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FEBRUARY 10, 2010 PUBLIC HEARING

ON

**PROPOSED BUS SERVICE CHANGES FOR
JUNE 2010**

METRO WESTSIDE/CENTRAL GOVERNANCE COUNCIL



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**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority**

The Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority will hold public hearings in February 2010 to receive community input on proposed modifications to Metro’s bus services. Approved changes will become effective June 27, 2010 or later. Details of the public hearing dates, times and locations are listed in this notice.

The upcoming public hearings are being held in conformance with federal public hearing requirements outlined in Section 5307 (d) 1 of Title 49 U.S.C., and public hearing guidelines adopted by Metro’s Board of Directors in 1993, as amended.

Listed below are the service proposals to be considered at the public hearings, and the service sectors that will be conducting them. In general, the proposed modifications will improve the efficiency of the public transportation system through a better use of limited resources. The public can attend any of these hearings and comment on proposals of interest to them.

METRO SAN GABRIEL VALLEY SERVICE SECTOR

LINE	LINE NAME	PROPOSED SERVICE CHANGE
180-181	Hollywood-Glendale-Pasadena via Colorado Blvd & Los Feliz Blvd	Consider modifying route between the communities of Glendale and Los Feliz to serve Silver Lake area.
287	El Monte-Montebello Mall-East Los Angeles College-Indiana Station	Restructure route to serve 1st St from Atlantic Blvd/Cesar Chavez Ave to 1st St/Indiana St. due to proposed discontinuation of Line 31 service east of Indiana St.

METRO WESTSIDE-CENTRAL SERVICE SECTOR

LINE	LINE NAME	PROPOSED SERVICE CHANGE
30-31	Pico/Rimpau – Monterey Park via Pico Blvd & East 1 st St	Cancel route 31. Line 287 will assume the portion of service currently operated by Route 31 from Collegian Ave/Cesar E Chavez Ave to 1 st /Indiana Sts
33-333	Downtown LA – Santa Monica via Venice Blvd	Replace service on Limited-stop Line 333 with new Rapid Line 733
217	Vermont/Sunset Station – Fairfax/Washington – via Fairfax Ave & Hollywood Blvd	Consider implementation of short line trips at Hollywood/Vine Station.
733	Downtown LA – Santa Monica via Venice Blvd Rapid	Implement Metro Rapid service on Venice Blvd from Patsaouras Transit Plaza to Santa Monica.

METRO SAN FERNANDO VALLEY SERVICE SECTOR

LINE	LINE NAME	PROPOSED SERVICE CHANGE
96	Downtown LA-Sherman Oaks via Riverside Dr, LA Zoo	Make permanent minor reroute from Riverside Dr to Glendale Blvd between Fletcher Dr and Glendale Blvd in Silver Lake.
166-364	Chatsworth Station-Sun Valley via Nordhoff St, Osborne St Local/Limited	Minor reroute from Nordhoff St via Reseda Blvd to proposed transit center at California State University, Northridge (CSUN), near Plummer St and Darby Ave.
167	Chatsworth Station-Studio City via Plummer St, Coldwater Canyon Blvd	Minor reroute from Plummer St to proposed transit center at CSUN, near Darby Ave.
168	Chatsworth Station-Pacoima via Lassen St, Paxton St	Minor reroute from Lassen St via Reseda Blvd to proposed transit center at CSUN, near Plummer St and Darby Ave.
240	Northridge-Universal City Station via Reseda Blvd, Ventura Blvd (Branch route of Line 150)	Minor reroute from Reseda Blvd to proposed transit center at CSUN, near Plummer St and Darby Ave.
741	Northridge-Tarzana via Reseda Blvd Rapid	Extend route to Universal City Station via Ventura Blvd; Minor reroute from Reseda Blvd to proposed transit center at CSUN, near Plummer St and Darby Ave. Route to terminate at CSUN or continue to existing terminal at Reseda Bl and Devonshire Bl.
750	Warner Center-Universal City Station via Ventura Blvd Metro Rapid	Reduce weekday peak service and reallocate resources to Line 741.
902	Pacoima-North Hollywood Station via Van Nuys Blvd, Burbank Blvd Local/Limited	Make permanent new demonstration line; Implement new midday service.

METRO PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULE

SAN FERNANDO VALLEY SECTOR

February 3, 2010, 6:30 PM
 Marvin Braude Constituent Service Ctr
 6262 Van Nuys Blvd
 Van Nuys

WESTSIDE-CENTRAL SECTOR

February 10, 2010, 5:00 PM
 La Cienega Tennis Center
 325 South La Cienega Blvd
 Beverly Hills

SAN GABRIEL VALLEY SECTOR

February 8, 2010, 6:00 PM
 San Gabriel Valley Sector Office
 3449 Santa Anita Ave
 El Monte

Metro Public Hearing Notice (Continued)

Additional details about these proposals will be available for public review after January 20, 2010. To obtain this information contact the address listed below, or visit a Metro Customer Relations Center. Information will also be available at: metro.net.

These proposals may be approved in whole, or in part, at a date following the public hearings. Approved changes may also include other alternatives derived from public comment. Interested members of the public are encouraged to attend the upcoming hearings and provide testimony on the service proposals under consideration. All public comment received will be forwarded to the responsible Sector Governance Council for consideration prior to taking action on these proposals. Persons unable to attend the hearings may submit written testimony postmarked through midnight, February 12, 2010, the close of the public record.

Written testimony sent via U.S. Mail should be addressed to:

Metro Customer Relations
One Gateway Plaza, 99PL4
Los Angeles, CA 90012-2932
Attn: June 2010 Service Changes

Comments sent via e-mail should be addressed to:

customerrelations@metro.net
Attn: June 2010 Service Changes

Comments sent via FAX should be addressed as above and sent to:

FAX Number 213-922-6988




Although the governance council's for Metro's Gateway Cities Sector and South Bay Sector are not making major service changes next June that require public hearings, the public may attend their regular monthly meetings in February and comment on service changes under consideration by the other sectors. Comments received at these meetings will be forwarded to the appropriate service sector proposing the change. Shown below is the regular meeting schedule in February 2010 for the Gateway Cities and South Bay governance councils, respectively:

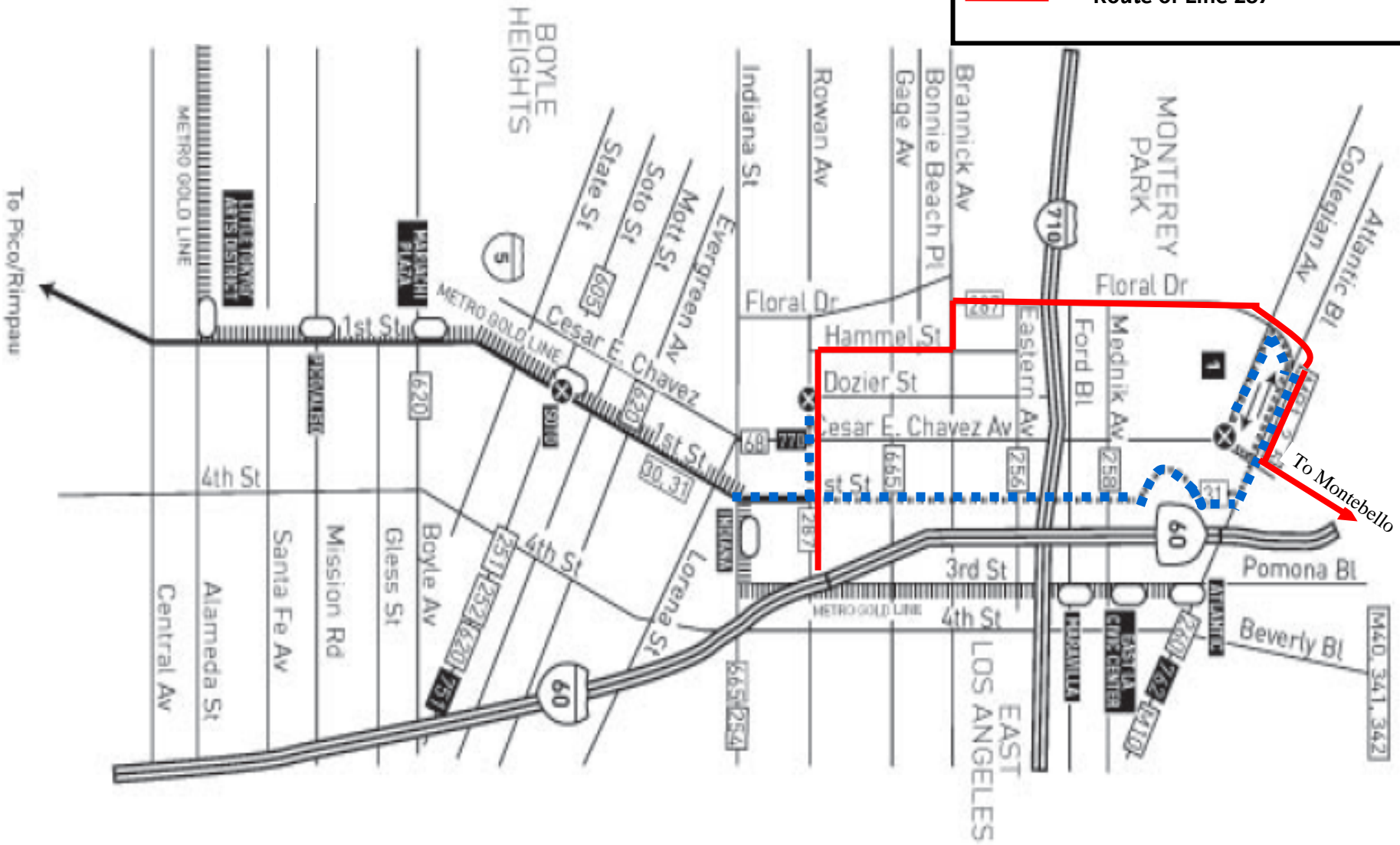
Metro Gateway Cities Sector
February 11, 2:00 pm
The Gas Company
9240 Firestone Blvd
Downey

Metro South Bay Sector
February 12, 9:30 am
Carson Community Center
801 Carson St
Carson

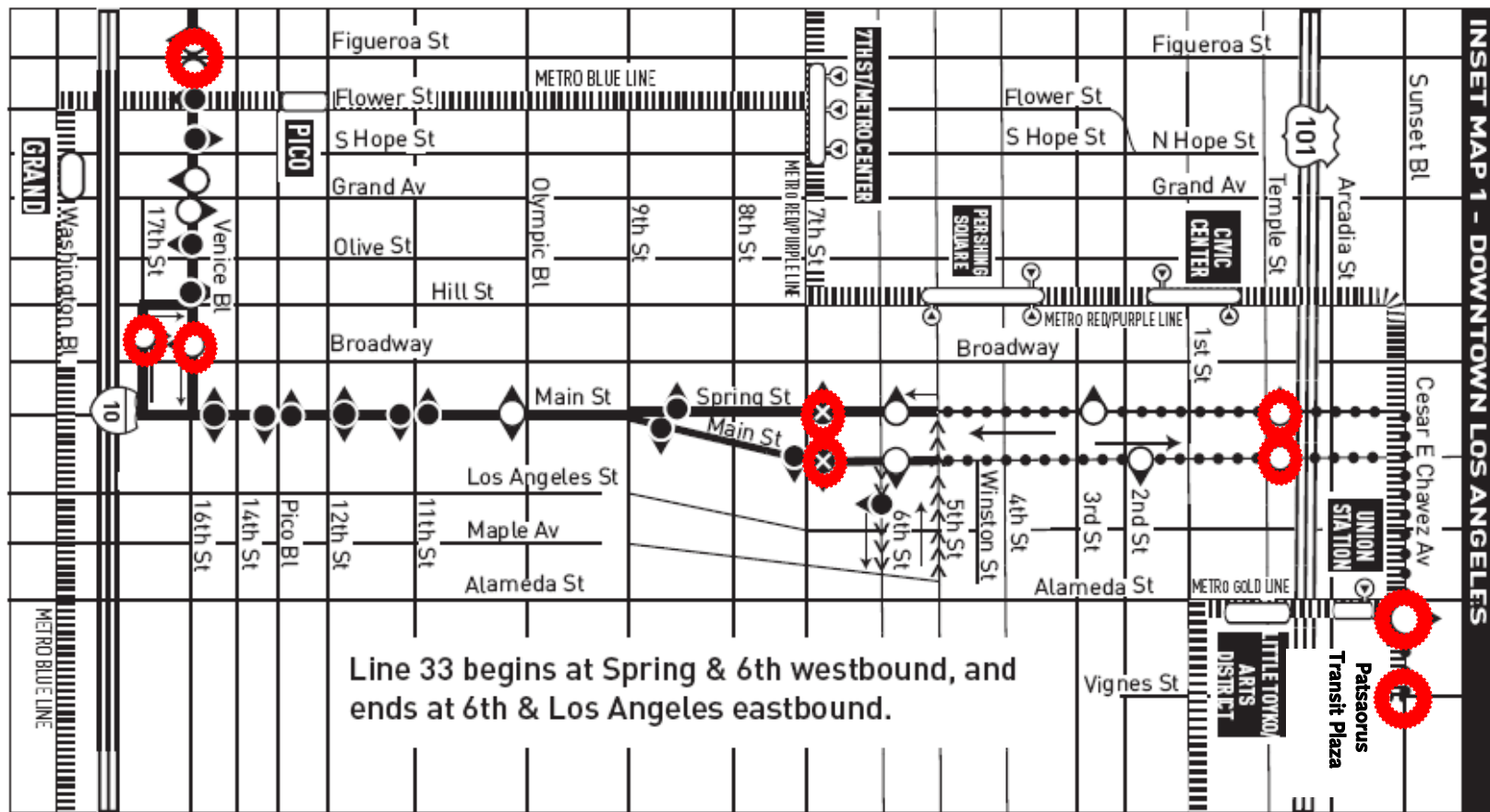
Upon request, foreign language translation, sign language interpretation, materials in alternative formats and other accommodations are available to the public for MTA-sponsored meetings and events. All requests for reasonable accommodations must be made at least three working days (72 hours) in advance of the scheduled meeting date. Please telephone (213) 922-4600 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.




Line 30-31 – Restructure service. Cancel route 31. Line 287 will assume the portion of service currently operated by Route 31

	Route of Line 30, 31
	Proposed discontinued Line 30-31, and replaced by Line 287
	Route of Line 287



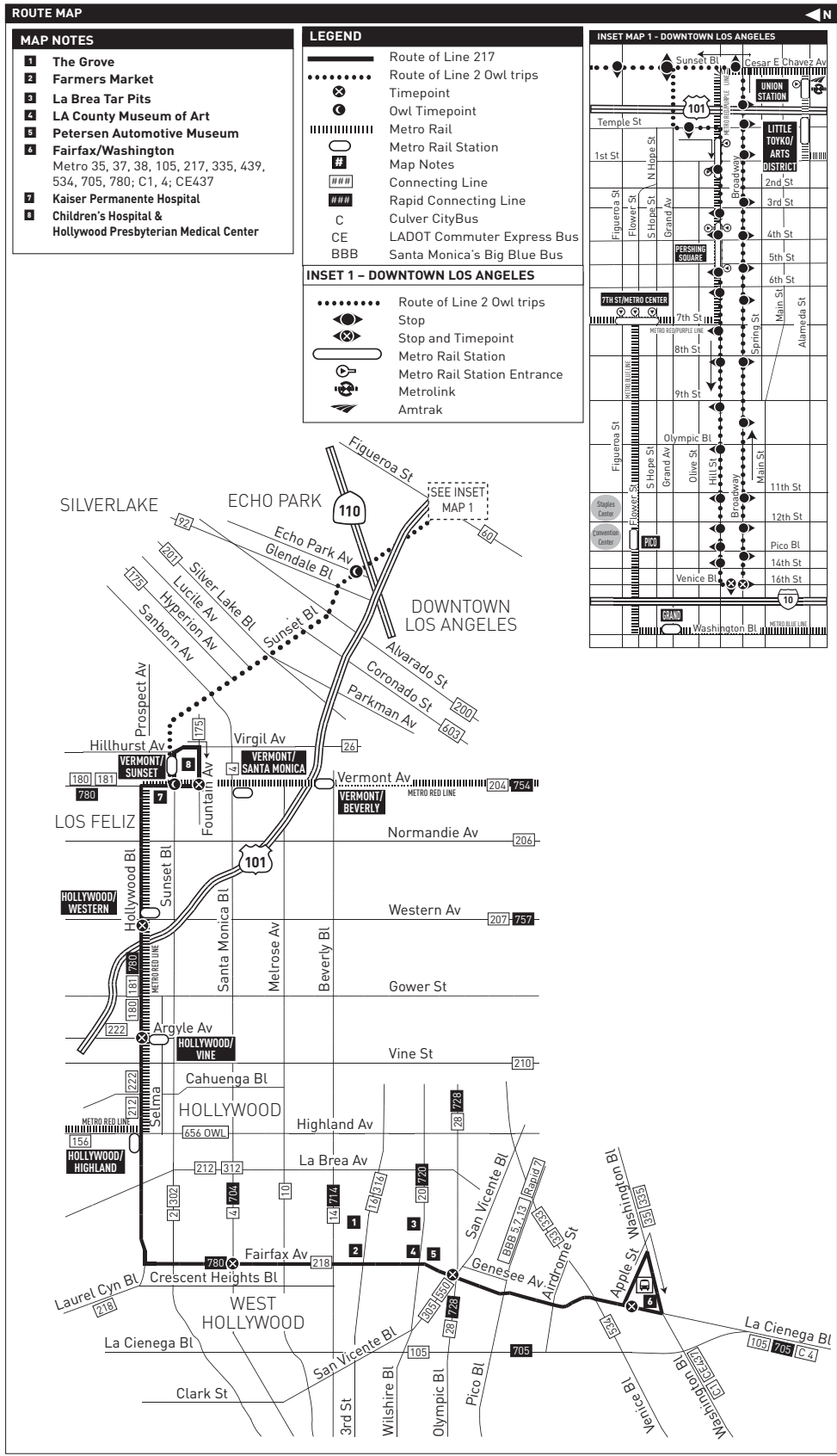
Line 33-333-733 – Replace service on Line 333 with new Rapid Line 733 Continued



-  Proposed Rapid Stop
-  Present Limited Stop
-  Present Local Stop



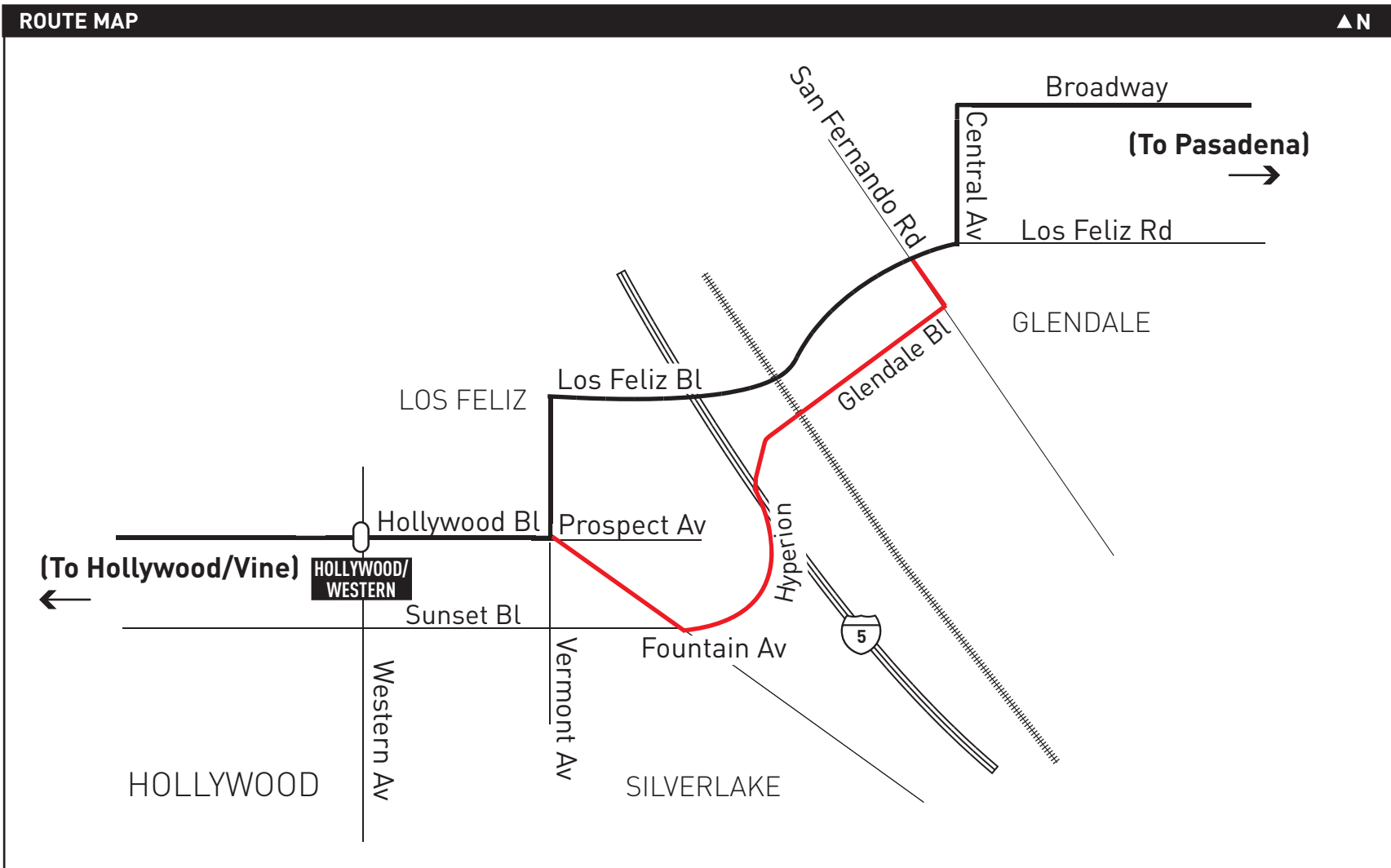
LINE 217 - CONSIDER IMPLEMENTATION OF SHORT LINE TRIPS AT HOLLYWOOD/VINE STATION



SERVICE PROPOSALS FOR LINES OPERATING IN THE WESTSIDE/CENTRAL AREA TO BE CONSIDERED BY OTHER GOVERNANCE COUNCILS ARE:

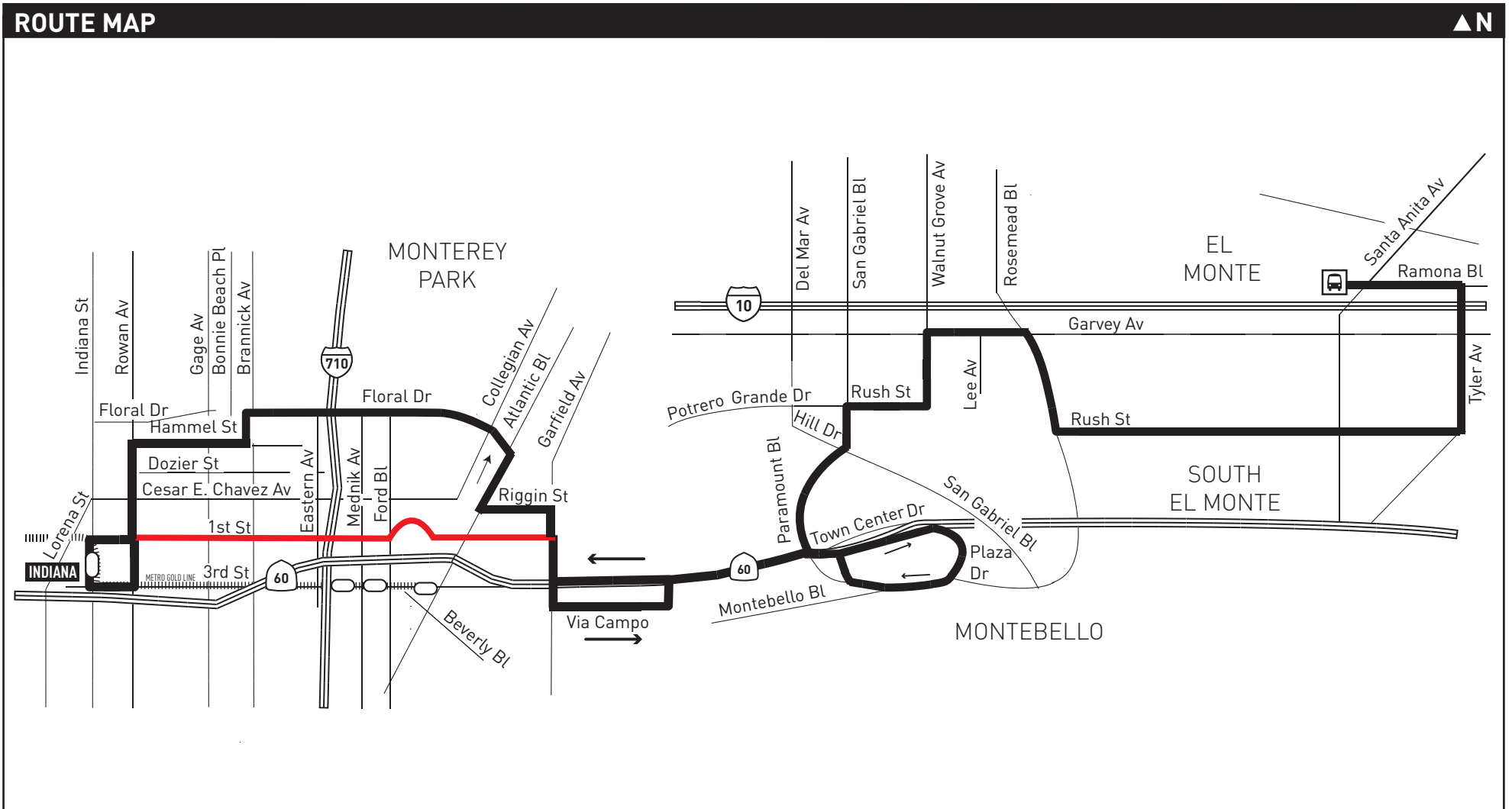
- San Gabriel Valley: Lines 180-181 and 287
- San Fernando Valley: Line 96

Lines 180-181 Proposal



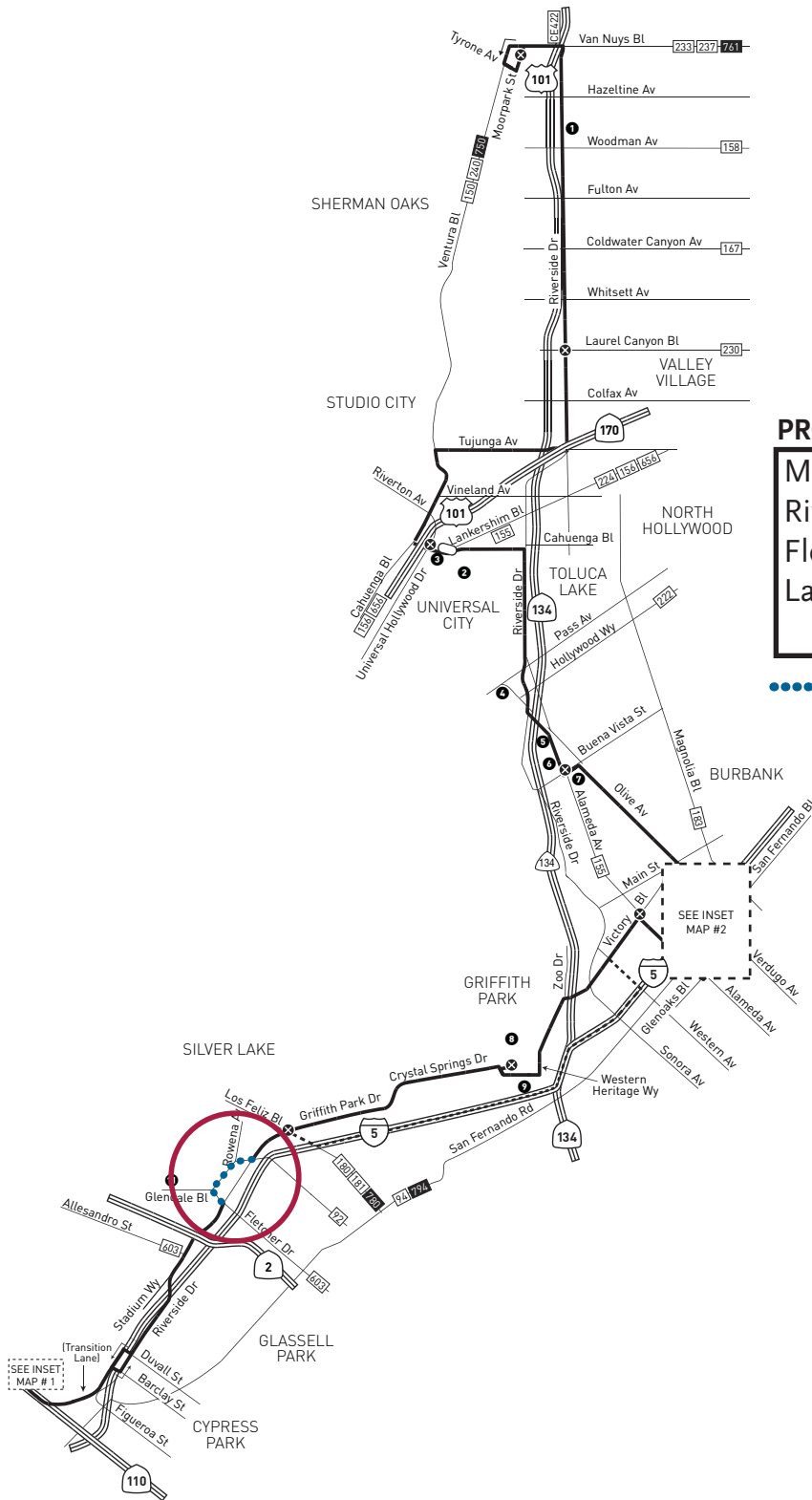
— Current 180-181 Route
— Proposed 181 Route

Line 287 Proposal - New 1st St. Branch



- Line 287 Route
- New 1st St. Branch

LINE 96 - DOWNTOWN L.A. - SHERMAN OAKS VIA RIVERSIDE DR, L.A. ZOO



PROPOSAL

Make permanent minor reroute from Riverside Dr to Glendale Blvd between Fletcher Dr and Glendale Blvd in Silver Lake.

••••• Minor Reroute